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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Mary L. Cottrell, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Energy
One South Station, 2nd Floor
Boston, Massachusetts 02110

RE: Investigation on Distributed Generation, D.T.E. 02-38-C, WMECO's Compliance Tariff Filing

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

Enclosed please find an original and nine copies of Western Massachusetts Electric Company's ("Company") compliance tariff, M.D.T.E. No. 1039B in the above referenced proceeding. The Company has also enclosed a redlined version that compares M.D.T.E. No. 1039B to Attachment A of the Department's December 27, 2005 order.

Please contact me at (860) 665-3055 should you have any questions in regard to this filing.

Very truly yours,

Joanne M. Stratton

Enclosures

cc: William Stevens, HO